



INDIANA CHARTER SCHOOL BOARD

MEDIA ADVISORY

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SUBJECT: Indiana Charter School Board Hosts Public Hearings on Fall 2013 Charter School Applications
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The Indiana Charter School Board (“ICSB”) will host public hearings in communities throughout the state in September to collect input on proposals to open new charter schools.

The public will also have the opportunity to submit testimony in writing during each hearing or electronically by sending comments to charter-applications@icsb.in.gov. The deadline to email comments for each proposed school is September 25th at 11:59 P.M. EDT.

To review applications and collect more information, visit the ICSB website at www.in.gov/icsb. See below for dates, times and locations of public hearings in individual communities.

Merrillville

Monday, September 16, 5:30 PM CDT
Laurel Church Ministries
7525 Taft Street
Merrillville, IN 46410
YDC School of the Arts

Indianapolis

Wednesday, September 18, 5:30 PM EDT
Indianapolis Central Library, Riley Room
40 East St. Clair Street
Indianapolis, IN 46204
Indianapolis Academy of Excellence

About the ICSB

Established in 2011 by the Indiana General Assembly, the ICSB is a statewide charter school authorizer and an independent state agency. The ICSB’s mission is to authorize and hold accountable a portfolio of high-performing charter schools in which students achieve high levels of growth and graduate prepared for college and careers. Each school authorized by the ICSB is subject to a transparent and outcomes-oriented accountability system. To learn more about upcoming board meetings, application cycles, and charter schools authorized by the ICSB, visit the ICSB website at www.in.gov/icsb.